

said voters shall vote against incorporation, then this Act shall be in abeyance for a period of one year, or until the first Monday in May, 1905, when the qualified voters of the said town may again assemble and vote as herein provided; and if at the second election a majority of the qualified voters of said town shall vote for incorporation, then the provisions of this Act shall take effect, and the election hereunder shall be valid; but if a majority of said voters shall vote against incorporation, then this Act shall be held utterly null and void. If at any such election the majority of the qualified voters of said town shall vote for incorporation, the said judges of election shall at once declare who has been elected Mayor and Common Councilmen, and issue to them certificates to that effect, which shall be recorded amongst the proceedings of the town.

Result of  
election.

SEC. 30. *And be it enacted*, That the provisions of this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 7, 1904.

#### CHAPTER 257.

AN ACT to incorporate the Baltimore and Southwestern Railroad Company.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That John P. Moore, of Worcester County, Robert B. Dixon, of Talbot County, Murray Vandiver, of Harford County, Francis E. Waters, of Baltimore City, Arthur P. Gorman, Jr., of Howard County, and Samuel K. Dennis, of Worcester County, and all of the State of Maryland, and Frank Smith, of the State of Pennsylvania, and their successors in office, are hereby created a body corporate under the name of the Baltimore and Southwestern Railroad Company, and the said incorporators are hereby constituted and appointed the directors of said company and they shall have power at any time after the passage of this Act to organize by the election of a president and such other officers as may in their judgment be to them necessary for the proper management of the affairs of said company.

Baltimore and  
Southwestern  
Railroad  
Company.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That said corporation, under the above name, shall be capable in law of purchasing, holding, selling and conveying property, real, personal and mixed, as far as shall be necessary for the purpose hereinafter mentioned, and shall have perpetual succession, and by such corporate name may sue and be sued, and to make and have and use a common seal, and the same alter and renew at their pleasure,

Rights of com-  
pany.